

State Senator Davis of Illinois, in speaking of a newspaper's value to a community, made these truthful remarks: "Every year gives from two hundred to a thousand dollars in free lines to the city in which it is located in boosting, praising, and supporting schools and societies. No other agency can or will do this. The editor, in proportion to his means, does more for his supported, not because you like and admire him and his style, but because the local newspaper is the best investment a city has. Today the newspapers are doing more for less pay than anything on earth and it is a fact in many cases of free news, etc., they are not even thanked for what they do."